

General Assembly

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Referred to Committee on Commerce

Introduced by: (CE)

AN ACT CONCERNING NAVIGATION, COASTAL ACCESS AND CLEAN MARINAS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2012) (a) As used in this section (1)
- 2 "certified clean marina" means a facility committed to the Department
- 3 of Energy and Environmental Protection's voluntary clean marina
- 4 program and engaged in efforts to operate at standards exceeding
- 5 regulatory compliance, including, but not limited to, implementing
- 6 practices that minimize pollution from mechanical activities, cleaning,
- 7 painting and fiberglass repair, hauling and storing boats, fueling,
- 8 facility management; and (2) "pledged clean marina" means a facility
- 9 committed to becoming a certified clean marina within one year of its
- 10 pledge date.
- 11 (b) A certified clean marina or a pledged clean marina that proposes
- 12 a sediment, dredging or disposal project and requests funding
- pursuant to subsection (k) of section 22a-477 of the general statutes
- shall be eligible for a grant of not less than forty per cent of the costs of
- 15 the project.

16 (c) The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection may 17 require a pledged clean marina to repay any portion of a grant 18 awarded pursuant to subsection (b) of this section if such pledged 19 clean marina does not transition to a certified clean marina within one 20 year of such pledge.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	July 1, 2012	New section

CE Joint Favorable

ENV Joint Favorable

FIN Joint Favorable

PD Joint Favorable